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SUBJECT: CRAB RESEARCH BY JAPAN IN EASTERN BERING SEA

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EMBASSY OBTAINED FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM JAPAN FISHERY AGENCY RE EASTERN BERING SEA RESEARCH PLAN OF GOJ CRAB RESEARCH VESSEL WAKATAKE MARU:

PERIOD: DEPARTED KUSHIRO, HOKKAIDO, JULY 12; WILL RETURN TO KUSHIRO AUGUST 30.

RESEARCH LOCATION: AREA ENCLOSED BY 5500N, 4730N, 16200W AND 17300W.
GEAR: ONE TRAWL NET TO BE TOWED FOR 30 MINUTES AND FOUR SETS OF POTS (45 POTS/SET).
SPECIES: KING, TANNER, AND BLUE KING CRAB.

DISPOSITION OF CATCH: MAJOR PORTION OF TANNER CRAB CATCH WILL BE TAGGED AND RELEASED AND THE REST BROUGHT BACK TO JAPAN AS SPECIMENS. THERE WILL BE NO COMMERCIAL MARKETING OF CATCH. KING AND BLUE KING CRAB (EXPECTED TO BE CAUGHT INCIDENTALLY WITH TANNER CRAB) WILL BE MEASURED AND RELEASED.
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